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IN REPLY REFER TO: 3809 UT08300 UTU66354, 66357, 66358, 66366, 66378

October 31, 2006

Darron Haddock Division of Oil Gas and Mining 1594 West North Temple Suite 1210 PO Box 14801 Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Dear Darron:

I wanted to forward you copies of various inspections I completed (for certain surface management notices, one active – UTU66378 and four expired). I closed two of the expired notice cases (a copy of each closure letter is atop the inspections for cases UTU66354 and 66358). Bluebell Oil Company has yet to conduct seeding of their expired notice (UTU66357) and Dale Stevens has yet to remove some wood and tires near his filled-in excavation (UTU66366). I wanted to get the enclosures to you so that the reports can be filed as necessary and any other Divisional action, as necessary, can be taken.

Please contact me at (435) 781-4501 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Peter K. Sokolosky

Geologist

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3809 UT08300 66358

August 30, 2006

Hiko Bell Mining and Oil Company P.O. Box 1845 Vernal, Utah 84078

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Dear Gentlemen:

Hiko Bell Mining and Oil Company was the operator of record of expired notice UTU66358. A recent inspection of the area reveals that there is sufficient desirable vegetation emerging and the reshaped area is stable. Hiko Bell and Oil Company has reimbursed the BLM for our expenses to reclaim the disturbances. The BLM is closing surface management case UTU66358 effective the date of this letter.

Please contact me at 781-4501 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Peter K. Sokolosky

Geologist

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Surface Management file UTU66358

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